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BLUE TRACK TEAM ROLLS UP LARGE SCORE ON R. P. I.

Javelin Record is Broken For Third Time This Season

COOK IS AGAIN HIGH POINT MAN

Middlebury Wins All Three Places in Four Events

Middlebury won her third successive track victory of the season when she scored 87 1-2 points to 47 1-2 for Rensselaer Polytechnic Institute in a meet held last Saturday at Troy. Although the meet was held on a wet field and was interrupted at intervals by showers the marks made were good on the whole. The college record in the javelin was smashed for the third time in two weeks when Eddy, '27, hurled it 148 feet, one inch or nearly eleven feet better than the former record. Whitney took second in this event and Cass third. R. P. I. was exceptionally weak in the dashes and as a result Middlebury took first, second and third in the sprinting events.

Captain Cook again won high point honors by taking first place in the broad jump and 440-yard dash and second in the 220-yard dash for a total of 13 points. Cass scored in four events, taking second in the hammer and discus and third in the javelin and shot put, totaling eight points. Carboy also got eight points by winning the 220-yard dash and taking second in the hundred. R. P. I.'s points were well distributed, Captain Purinton being their highpoint man with six.

Coach Brown's men were supreme in the running events, taking first place in every race except the low hurdles. Crane won the 100-yard dash in the fast time of ten and one-fifth seconds with Carboy and Happ close behind him. Carboy got a first place for the first time when he was the winner in the 220. Cook and Crane got second and third respectively. In the quarter-mile Middlebury again took all the

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Appreciative Audience Assists Sage Initiation

A "high-class" vaudeville act was staged in town Wednesday evening which was attended by all the "elite" of Middlebury proper and those of the college who were seeking a broad and comprehensive knowledge of the Modern Drama. Due to the new movement on foot, namely that of combining Physical Education with Art, the act was given in the great out-of-doors —near Calvi's store, where the actors, in momentous moments, could breathe without being hampered by bad air. The troupe, under the management of the Order of Sage, was composed of the following well-known stars: Potter, Knowles, Morris, Johnson, Novotny, Egan, Moore and Hawthorne. The realism of their acting was intensified by the fact that those who had made purchases of fruits and vegetables for dinner completely forgot the content of their parcels and hurled them rapturously at the players. The result was a little unfortunate but the troupe can truly feel flattered that their audience was so appreciative that they could drown themselves in the flood of feeling which premeated the whole performance.

ATHLETIC COUNCIL ELECTED

The balloting for the Athletic Council held at the Undergraduate meeting on May 20 resulted in the election of Aloys Papke, '25, Edwin Long, '25, Albert Cass, '25, F. B. Rich, '25, and Frank Towne, '26.

LIST OF CHANGES IN COURSES IS GIVEN OUT

New Courses Offered in Biology, English, Economics and Chemistry

The tentative schedule of courses for next year has been arranged, and in it are announced a number of new courses to be given.

In the Biology department, Professor Longwell offers a new course called "Natural History," in which emphasis will be placed on life history and habits rather than on structure. This class will also call for more field work than has been done for some time past.

Prof. Voter, under Chemistry, will give "Historical Chemistry"; and in Economics, Prof. House is scheduled for "Industrial Relations," a more advanced course.

For the English department, Prof. Cady offers "Play Production," open to those who have had considerable dramatic experience; Miss Studley has "Old and Middle" English Literature"; and Mr. Perrin, instead of the business communication course, will have "Gram mar of Present Day English." This is open to upperclassmen only.

Prof. J. P. Davison offers a course in "Modern Constitutional History," and advanced course for juniors and seniors; "Political Problems of the United States," a study of current problems and also advanced, will be given by Prof. Abbott.

A new course in the Philosophy department is "History of Religion," with Prof. Harrington as teacher.

For those interested in the classics, there will be "Roman Satire", given by Prof. Burrage. A new German course added to the department is Miss Schuller's one-hour course in German phonetics, especially useful for those who expect to teach the language.

Annual Parker Contest In Mead Chapel Tonight

The annual Parker Prize Speaking Contest, one of the oldest foundations in college, will take place in Mead Memorial Chapel at eight o'clock tonight. As usual four prizes of $50, $35, $25, $20 will be offered.

The speakers with their subjects are as follows:

1. The Solution of our Liquor Problem.
   Alfred Padula.
2. Our Vanishing Oil.
   E. Marion Reighard
3. What Should America Mean to a Foreigner.
   Roger W. Stoughton.
4. The Hope of Democracy.
   C Preston Vorce
5. America's Opportunity.
   Charles I. Wright.

Musical numbers for the evening will be as follows:

Violin Solo, Andante----Tschaikowsky
Emile Holley

Girl's Chorus
(a) The Gypsies----------Schumann
(b) To a Wild Rose------MacDowell
(c) June Rhapsody----Mabel Daniels

HIGH HONOR TO BE BESTOWED UPON PRESIDENT MOODY

Impressive Services To Be Held in Mead Chapel on Friday

PROF. HARDRE TO PRESENT INSIGNIA

American Legion and Students Will Take Part in the Ceremonies

President Paul Dwight Moody will officially be awarded the insignia and diploma of Chevalier de la Legion d'Honneur in the Memorial day exercises to be held in the Mead Chapel on Friday morning at 9:30. Professor Rene Hardre, who is also of the Legion of Honor will present the decoration to the President. The entire Middlebury Post of the American Legion will be present as a part of their services for the day, as well as many students and townspeople.

The decoration which is the highest that the French government can present to any American was granted to President Moody by the President of the French Republic in February and officially announced in Middlebury a few weeks later.

An effort was made to secure Ambassador Jusserand to come to Middlebury to make the official award. However the Ambassador could not arrange to come personally and so officially authorized Professor Hardre to make the presentation. In a letter received a short time ago he said, "I am certain that Professor Hardre in his quality of companion in arms with President Moody will know better than anyone else how to voice the feelings of gratitude for service rendered to the French cause. Therefore, I authorize him to present to President Moody the insignia and diploma of the Legion of Honor."

This award is a distinct honor to President Moody and also to Middlebury itself. It was given in recognition of his services in helping to build up Middlebury's famous French School as well as his work in the World War.

Russian Inn Motif of Pi Phi Formal

The Pi Phi formal dance, held in the McCullough Gymnasium, Saturday evening, was in the form of a Russian Inn, with the waitresses and orchestra in costume. The frieze around the wall was especially effective. The chaperones were Pres. and Mrs. P. D Moody, Dean Eleanor S. Ross, Prof. and Mrs. J. C. Kingsley, Prof. and Mrs. Voter, Prof. and Mrs. L. J. Hathaway, Miss Mary C. Dutton, Mrs. Elizabeth S. Royce. Edna Volin represented Sigma Kappa sorority; Velma Pilling, Delta Delta Delta; Dorothy Taylor, Kappa Kappa Gamma; Rosa Brooks, Theta Chi Epsilon; Dorothy Reed , Delta Omega Delta, and Helen Leeney, the Neutrals. The out of town guests were Christine Germand , Eleanor Rowell, Catherine Ryan, Anna Martin, Myrtle Crawshaw, Dorothy and Louise Newton.

Soph Rules Committee Appointed

The sophomore rules committee for next year will be made up from the following men of the class of 1927: Whitney, chairman pro tem; Patch, Hancock, Reighard, McProud, Naylor, Finnegan and A. L. Smith.

NOTICE

The next issue of The Campus will come out on June 11th. Instead of being published the day after Commencement, it will be in the nature of a pre-commencement issue. Owing to the impossibility of staff-members to remain for graduation it has been decided to make this change.

HAMILTON MEET TO COMPLETE THE TRACK SCHEDULE

Team on Edge to Wind Up Most Successful Season

The track team will leave for Clinton New York, on Friday where they will meet Hamilton College on Saturday in the last meet of a most successful season. The team, which is one of the most successful combinations which has worn the Blue for several years, is out to add Hamilton to their list of victims for the year. This list already includes Worcester, Vermont, Norwich and Rensselaer, all of whom have been defeated by wide margins.

Hamilton's track team in the past few years has been very strong but has been somewhat weakened this year by graduation. Last year they were winners over Union, St. Lawrence, Rochester and R. P. I. but this year have lost to both Union and Alfred College.

This will be the last meet in which Doc Cook will be able to participate for Middlebury and consequently he will be anxious to finish his track career with as good a record as possible. He may meet some strong opposition in Captain Alison of Hamilton who is also starring in the sprints and broad jump. Peck, Crane, Krichbaum, Doolittle, Carlton and Kendall will also be participating in their last meet and will all make their best efforts to gain as many points as possible. Hancock, '27, who has the enviable record of having taken first place in the two-mile in every meet so far this year will be out to win it for the fifth time.

Hamilton is rather weak in the field events. Cass, Whitney, Eddy and Mc Laughlin, the weight throwing quartet, should gain a large number of points in their contests. Cass took points in four events last week against R. P. I., while Eddy and McLaughlin each got a first place.

Austin and Hawthorne Receive Debating Prizes

At chapel yesterday morning President Paul D. Moody presented the Wetherell prize for 1923-24 to Edgar T. Austin, '24, and Dana S. Hawthorne, '26. The prize of $50 was equally divided between the two men. A foundation of a $1000 was established by former students and admirers of Prof. Archibald D. Wetherell, the income of which is to be awarded annually to the student or students who show the best interest in debating and the promotion of debating at Middlebury as well as excellence in debating work. The prize is being awarded by the coaches who trained the men for the intercollegiate contests this year: Prof. V. C. Harrington, Prof. A. M. Kline, Prof. J. S. Kingsley and Prof. W. E. Davison.

Prof. Kingsley Makes Address

Professor J. S. Kingsley gave the commencement address at the Newport Center High school last Wednesday evening.

NINE TRIUMPHS OVER NEW YORK STATE TEACHERS

Coach Sends Substitutes in For Practice

KLEVENOW OPENS ON MOUND

Middlebury Aided By Errors of Opponents

In a baseball comedy of errors, the Middlebury nine triumphed over the New York State Teachers' College by the score of 7 to 1 in a game played at Albany Friday afternoon.

Klevenow started on the mound for the Blue and White, and after a first bad inning in which the Albany team scored one run, he held them safe. Coach Morey then sent in Witham, the slow-ball artist, who kept the Purple team hitless until the eighth, striking out four of the opposing batters. In order to give the substitutes a chance, Coach Morey then sent Papke to the pitcher's box. Novotny was shifted to second base, Whitney to short, and Helman and Banks sent to right field and first base respectively. The latter showed up well, handling three chances in addition to crashing out a clean two-bagger in his only time at bat.

The State team made nine errors, of which the Middlebury team took full advantage. For the blue, Papke played his usual fine game, handling six chances without an error.

The score:

NEW YORK STATE TEACHERS' COLLEGE

	A.B.	R.	H.	P.O.	A.
Stahlman, 2 b	4	0	1	4	5
Donnelly, 3 b	4	1	1	4	5
Sage, s s	4	0	0	0	1
Wegner, c	4	0	2	5	1
Jackman, c	4	0	1	2	0
Caton, p	4	0	0	1	6
Roberts, r f	3	0	0	1	1
Graham, 1 b	4	0	0	14	0
Hornung, lf	3	0	1	0	0
Total	34	1	6	27	14

MIDDLEBURY

	A.B.	R.	H.	P.O.	A.
Martin, 1 f	4	2	0	1	0
Whitney, 2b & ss	3	1	2	0	2
Hastings, c f	3	0	1	1	0
Klevenow, p	3	0	0	0	0
Witham, p	0	0	0	0	0
Helman,	0	0	0	0	0
Conley, 3 b	5	0	0	0	0
Novotny, rf & 2b	5	1	0	0	0
Papke, ss & p	4	1	1	4	2
Kilbride, c	4	1	1	9	2
Hasseltine, 1 b	3	0	1	7	0
Banks, 1 b	1	1	1	3	0

Glee Clubs to Sing In Montpelier

Tonight in the Montpelier city hall the second annual joint concert of the Norwich and Middlebury Glee Clubs will be held. This concert is the result of an agreement entered into last year after the successful joint concert held here during Junior Week. This year's concert is being held under the auspices of the Women's Club of Montpelier.

The entire Middlebury Club together with Hunter's orchestra will make the trip and following the concert a dance will be held.

The program this evening is to be substantially the same as that of the Junior Week concert held here earlier this month. This contest will be the last appearance of Middlebury's club this year bringing to a close an unusually successful season for the best club that has ever represented Middlebury.

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"Morituri Salutamus!"

"We, who are about to die, salute you!"

Thus spake the old Roman gladiators as they entered the arena to fight before the emperor, knowing full well that when the combat ceased many would have wielded their swords in their last worldly conflict. And so we salute the faculty as we enter that last conflict of the year—final examinations. Like those men of old, we know that for some of us this may be the last time we shall wield our pens in the battle of wits. This is not a cheerful subject to discuss, but it is one which is uppermost in our minds at present. Just why is it that students dread examinations? That question is not easy to answer. We have faced it many times before and although we attempted calmly to reason out the causes we must confess our failure. Lack of preparation? In a measure, yes; but even those who have done their work faithfully throughout the year have a "qualmy" feeling too. Each time we face the ordeal there is a fear that clings to us in spite of our determination to stop worrying. Then, too, the weather makes it hard to review. We wonder if our professors ever have attacks of spring fever?

Let us start now to prepare for those fateful questionnaires. We must do it in two ways: First, by reviewing each subject carefully, and second, by getting sufficient rest. It is too late now to bemoan the fact that we haven't studied our courses as much as we should have. The best thing to be done is to get as good a general knowledge of the subject as possible—and hope for the best! We are not among those who rant about "cramming." Many a man has passed a course by gleaning some required points in the last few hours. We do not, on the other hand, endorse it. Let each one choose for himself the method of preparation he will follow.

It is with regard to the second point that we would respectfully call your attention. Just about this time everyone is trying to make up work and finds himself working until far into the morning even though the mind is tired and thoughts become incoherent. The result is that the next morning the student drags himself wearily into his classes, fails to catch the points made by the instructor and thus loses much information which he will need in the examination and which the professors are stressing in the last few recitations as important. After a week of such nerve-wracking procedure how can one expect anything else but a fagged out brain and aching eyes with which to begin examination week? We have been told many times before that more can be accomplished by spending an hour or so before breakfast than by trying to force a tired mind to grasp dates formulae or principles around the midnight hours. We listen and then—keep right on in the same old way. It certainly can do no harm to try it out for ourselves, and it may do us a great deal of good. Perhaps the fear of examinations is caused by overwrought nerves. If so, the "rest cure" will do much toward banishing that depressing halucination. We wish you the best of luck!

Another College Custom

A student or alumnus from any of the large eastern colleges chancing to pass through Middlebury on an inopportune evening last week, might have enquired quite legitimately, "What prep school is located in this town?"

College men are traditionally known for their ingenuity, their wit, and originality. Their clever pranks and bright sallies are often quoted. It would seem that at no time is a youth as clever as in his college days. However, there was nothing original, or clever about the regrettable exhibition of horseplay put on during the Sage initiation. The fault cannot be laid at the door of the initiates, or the men conducting the affair, for they tried sincerely enough to carry out the original plan of initiation for the amusement of the student body. Their attempts, however, were useless, and they soon found that they were not there to be clever, but to be a target for all kinds of refuse, rocks or whatever was handy at the time That was all that was necessary to amuse the onlookers, a crowd comprised not only of college people, but also of townspeople.

This initiation was once, not many years ago, an affair to be looked forward to. It was well planned, amusing, and genuinely humorous. Since then it has degenerated into the crude type of thing that is not worthy of college men, and is decidedly bad taste. As far as the student body is concerned, it is a frank admission of weakness and lack of originality, for there are many more drastic ways of humiliating a man and making him ridiculous than by mere physical means. Making targets of men requires little brilliance on either side.

There are many old traditions at Middlebury, which will be passed on from generation to generation. If this initiation is to be one of them, it must unquestionably revert to its former character.

THE BILLBOARD

"Water, water everywhere but not a drop to drink." (Taken from old Scotch).

BASEBALL IN MIDDLEBURY

Practice by both sides with form displayed at intervals. Both aggregations now ready for the fray. Batter up, one ball, and one strike. Rain! Players dash madly to shelter while the umpire holds out his hand to determine whether it is raining or another flood is in the making. Rain ceases. Batter up, two strikes, and one ball. Thunder as man hits ball to center field where it lands in an embryo lake. Fielder wades in after the ball but in doing so steps on frog who immediately croaks. Another deluge. Players again seek shelter. Ah! a rift in the clouds—the sun at last. Play ball. O durn, the rain again. Both teams and the umpire damp, discouraged yet determined leave the field followed by the fans beneath umbrellas and yellow slickers.

According to the above I would like to suggest that the bases be attached to cork floats, the umpire be given a sizeable umbrella, the players be equipped with pontoons and butterfly nets, also with cotton to keep the water out of their ears in case it becomes necessary to dive for the ball.

My, but it is a scream, yet rather a pathetic sight to watch some of the "Boys" endeavoring to live up to that wonderful ideal, Joe College. Then come the co-eds trying to emulate "Josephine."

Opinion is a great thing. You'd believe it, if you knew how desirous the girls are to find out if they are ever brot up in one of the "sessions" on this side of the Hill.

"If a man's heart is broken he always seeks another woman to mend it." (Poor illusioned cuss).

"A LA TENNYSON"

Kysme the fair, Kysme the lovable
Kysme the she-shiek of Midd.
High on her heels she stands,
Waiting for the next guy to bite.
Moral: God, give us men, not fish!

CHAPEL

Bell rings. Students enter with hands filled with mail recently received. Organ prelude, that is if the beast is functioning properly. If it is not Prof. Hathaway goes thru a series of excruciating manipulations finanlly turning to the Master of Ceremonies with a haggard look, as if to say, "I've done my best." Now comes the reading of the notices which is by far the most interesting part of the entire session. Announcement of Hymn follows. Scripture reading. Prayer. Chapel over.

Some girls like to be loved, some are indifferent, and still others are just plain obstinate and want to be teased.

NOTICE

The names of the persons who will be hit with golf balls this week will be found on pages 7-11 of the College Bulletin.

FABLE

There was a Professor, God bless him!
He always kept his class guessing.
He failed to get up his class got a cut,
His soul's gone to Heaven with blessing.

He had an aching in his heart
As sharp as the edge of a prism.
It wasn't his love for you my dear
But an attack of rheumatism.

—BILL

COMMUNICATION

Writer Believes Books and Reading More Important Than Extra Curriculum Activities

To the Editor, Dear Sir:

I trust I am not the only one of your readers who is becoming much fatigued by being told that he should indulge to a greater extent in extra-curriculum activities. It was rather surprising that Dr. James L. Barton after warning us from the pulpit of the chapel to beware of too great a self-interest, should emphasize in an interview with a Campus reporter the importance of taking a prominent part in extra-curriculum activities, the most efficient way that I can imagine of cutting onesself off from both the world of politics and human affairs and that of study. Dr. Barton went even farther according to your issue of May 14 and said that the studies he pursued while in college would have been useless had it not been for the outside activities.

Now it is possible that our respected alumnus and trustee may have been betrayed into making some rather incautous remarks to your reporter, for is it not extraordinary that a man of culture and learning such as Dr. Barton should state as his belief that, "hour for hour, a man gets as much if not more, out of time put into work in extra-curriculm activities as he does out of the classroom subjects?" If this is so, it would seem to be the wise thing to dismiss the professors and hire coaches and trainers, turn classrooms and library into offices for student administration boards, stack all books on the campus in preparation for the biggest bonfire ever after the next victory over Vermont, and devote all our time to these sine qua non activities.

The question is one of fundamental importance, since it simmers down to the age-old and ever-present question of "What shall I do?" Is one altogether wrong to assume that the man who calls himself a student should answer in applying this question to himself, "Study, read, experiment, reason, write, discuss"? These, it seems to me, are reasonable fundamentals of a college man's code of action. I do not say that the student has no business to do anything else, but rather that the college man who devotes any considerable portion of his time to anything else is distinctively out of place. Whether or not a man shall specialize in any one line of study while in college is debatable, but it is certain that he should specialize in studying. Just as it is impossible to dip deeply into every department of study, it is also impossible to specialize in both studies and activities which have nothing to do with studies, and by the very nature and purpose of the place studies should be first and foremost.

It is not remarkable that the faculty Committee on Extra-Curriculum Activities has not yet been able to decide on a practical plan for making a certain participation in activities required. Aside from the practical difficulties involved, for the faculty to put such a plan into affect would be like cutting off its own head, since one big reason at present for poor work and consequent low marks is the interference of athletic trips, rehearsals galore, and a host of other campus duties which loom so large in the student's life.

Granted that college would have a lifeless and undesirable atmosphere without any such activities, at the present time it is the cause of books and reading that needs to be advanced, rather than that of football, undergraduate journalism, and socializing.

Very truly yours,
O. W. Cooley.

Delta Kappa Epsilon
1926
Philip K. Brown

Kappa Delta Rho
1927
Paul VanW. Waldo

CALENDAR

Advance notices of College activities signed by one authorized and left in The Campus Office by 1 o'clock Tuesday afternoon will be printed in the week's calendar.

Thursday
7:00 p. m. Choir Rehearsal.
7:15 p. m. Kappa Kappa Gamma Formal Dance. "The Heights."

Friday
Memorial Day.

Saturday
7:15 p. m. General Informal Dance.

Sunday
5:00 p. m. Musical Vesper Service. President Moody speaking at Wheaton College.

Tuesday
5:00 p. m. Y. W. C. A. Cabinet Meeting.
7:00 p. m. Y. W. C. A. Meeting.

ALUMNI NOTES

To the Alumni:

One of the special features of Commencement will be the presentation of Shakespeare's "Twelfth Night" on Monday, June 16, in the McCullough gymnasium.

Since its inception three years ago, the Middlebury College Dramatic Club has made remarkable strides. Chief among its many excellent productions during that time have been Barrie's "The Admirable Crichton," "Green Stockings," and the recent Junior play "Captain Applejack. The work of the Club will be crystalized during the coming year by Professor Cady's Play Production course.

Altho Middlebury has seen several Shakesperian and other English productions, its most famous one was Peele's "Old Wives' Tale," give in 1911, under Professor Cady's direction. Its success at that time secured almost nation-wide publicity. The excellent talent developed by the Dramatic Club during the last three years coupled with Professor Cady's intimate knowledge of Shakespeare and his ability as a dramatic coach should make this presentation of the Avon bard's delightful comedy most worth-while. Special scenery which will closely resemble that used in the old Globe theater is being constructed for the play and intensive studies of the costumes of the time are being made.

If you are planning to attend Commencement you will not want to miss seeing "Twelfth Night." If this presentation is received well, as it is sure to be, it is planned to give one of Shakespeare's plays every other year at this time alternating with a modern play. You may obtain tickets by mailing a check to C. O. Frost's Pharmacy, Middlebury, Vermont, after June 1st. All seats will be $1.00.

It is earnestly hoped that you will avail yourself of the opportunity to take part in this dedication of a milestone in the path of the new Middlebury.

THE MIDDLEBURY COLLEGE DRAMATIC CLUB.

Mr. and Mrs. Earle H. Ballou, of Chester, Vermont, and Tientsin, China, announce the birth of a son, Robert Maturin, on May 21, 1924. Mrs. Ballou was Miss Thelma Havens of the class of 1912.

A clipping just received from the Asheville Citizen, gives notice of the death, on April 17th, of a graduate of Middlebury of the class of 1884, Glenn E. Lathrop. Mr. Lathrop was one of the most prominent citizens in his town and county and a leader in the business and religious life of his section of the state. At the time of his death he was and had been for several years Town Manager of Brevard, where he resided. Mr. Lathrop was a Vermonter by birth, a native of South Royalton. He was a member of the Delta Kappa Epsilon.

Prof. Howard Speaks

Professor Frank E. Howard addressed the teachers of the Springfield schools last Wednesday p. m. and the High school assembly Thursday a. m.

DR. BOYNTON OF NEW YORK CITY VESPER SPEAKER

Takes "Pioneers" For Subject of Chapel Sermon

"I will take as my text," said Dr. Nehemiah Boynton, of New York City, in speaking at Sunday Vespers, "the phrase, 'A pioneer of light.' Pioneers are always interesting folk, whether we find them on sea or land, in the old world of books or in today's world of men. The soul of the pioneer is courageous. There are two characteristics of courage; physical and mental; but there is a third, that spiritual quality which makes a man put everything he has into the great adventure. These three things make a pioneer; a certain strength of body, a poise of mind, a disposition of the soul."

"There can be no success according to any outward measurement of the soul. The pioneer's success is measured, not by what he does, but by what he is. In these days the appeal to the pioneer spirit of the younger generation must be made. There is a great principle of seriousness and earnestness which is challenging the student of today. It is your duty as young people to take a hand in the momentous decisions that are before your generation. The world needs the attention, devotion, and vision of consecrated youth. The fate of the world of tomorrow depends upon the pioneer of today, just as the fate of today depended upon that greatest pioneer of the past, Christ—the 'pioneer of light.'"

Seniors to Give Recitals

The seniors of the music department are to give three recitals in Music Hall. Florence Bolger, soloist, assisted by Michael Prata of the violin department, Allan Hunter assisted by Elizabeth Ferguson, cellist, and Anna Wilkinson, soprano, Helen Cleveland, contralto, assisted by students of the piano department.

The dates of these recitals will be posted on the bulletin board at Old Chapel and will be free to all who care to atend.

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Davison Announces Two New Student Positions

Hawthorne to Coach Speakers; Jackson Made Editor of the Press Club

The appointment of Dana S. Hawthorne, 26, to take charge of the coaching work connected with prize speaking and debating and of James S. Jackson, '26, to take charge of the Press Club work for the coming year was announced this morning by Professor Wilfred E. Davison.

The coaching position is a new one, all the work in this department having formerly been handled by Professor Davison. The Press Club position has been held for the past year by Lloyd C. Harris, '26, who is to transfer to the School of Journalism at Ohio State University next fall.

Mr. Hawthorne is exceptionally well fitted to handle the prize-speaking and debating work. He was the winner of the first prize in the Merrill prize speaking contest last winter and in the Parker contest a year ago. As a member of the varsity debating team he participated in three debates during the past season. He has just been awarded the Wetherell prize for excellency in debating. Hawthorne is also the editor of the 1926 Kaleidoscope and news editor on The Campus staff.

Mr. Jackson has had some experience in the news work, having written for The Campus for over a year. He is at the present time an assistant editor on The Campus staff, and advertising manager of the 1926 Kaleidoscope. He also was a member of the varsity debating team during the past season and participated in the Merrill prize speaking contest.

Piano Recital is Held

Ten of Professor Hathaway's students participated in a piano recital held in the Music Studio last Thursday evening. A well balanced program was presented including selections of both classic and modern composers. Those given by Miss Slayton and Miss Gaylor were especially well received. The others who participated included Erminie Ostiguy, William T. Hade, Elizabeth Kelley, Marjory Eames, Louise Nelson, Louise Robinson, Mildred Brower, Georgia Thornton, and Dorothy Taylor.

Mrs. Morey Recovering

After being ill for several weeks in the Robert Bent Brigham hospital in Boston, Mrs. David B. Morey, is well on the way to recovery. She was taken ill while visiting Boston with Coach Morey at the time of the baseball trip.

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The School of English attracts to Bread Loaf each summer not only teachers of English but many young writers seeking to develop their powers of expression. The high grade of students attending the School makes possible unusually successful work in creative writing. The School attracts students from many sections of the country. Last summer the 112 students represented 19 states and 29 colleges.

Not only does the School afford young writers a chance for instruction and guidance under a skilled teacher, but through the visiting lecturers the students are brought into personal touch with writers of distinction. Among the prominent writers who have visited the School are Dorothy Canfield Fisher, Willa Cather, Robert Frost, Katherine Lee Bates, John Finley, John Farrar, Irving Bacheller, Louis Untermeyer, Edwin Markham, and Carl Van Doren. Other summer sessions sometimes arrange lectures by distinguished writers but in a large school students do not meet the lecturers personally and have the opportunity or conference possible at Bread Loaf.

This summer the work in creative writing has been arranged in two parts. The course called "Creative Writing" will afford young writers opportunity for a study of the principles of writing, discussions and criticism of original work produced, and guidance in creative work. The course is in charge of Sidney Cox, of the State University of Montana. Professor Cox is a graduate of Bates College and received his A. M. at the University of Illinois. He has had wide teaching experience in both high school and college, is well versed in the theory of writing, and brings to his work valuable personal experience as a writer.

The program has been planned this summer so that the special lecturers will remain at the School for some time, giving the students the benefit of their experience through lectures, discussions, and conferences. Five of the visiting lecturers will take part in a course called "Studio in Creative Writing." Of these, Robert Frost, Grace Hazard Conkling, John Farrar, and Charles S. Brooks will each remain a week at the School, and Edith M. Luttman two weeks.

The list of lecturers also included Henry Seidel Canby, editor of "The Literary Review," author of "Definitions," etc. In a review in the New York Times Book Review of May 18, referring to Mr. Canbys essay on "Conrad and Melville," the writer says: "Mr. Canby proves anew in this study that he is among the leading critics, if not, indeed, the leading critic writer in this country today. There are many who can analyze but who cannot judge without perjudice; there are others who would be able to judge without perjudice could they but analyze with sureness. It is Mr. Canby's nice balancing of these two faculties, these two powers, which gives him his pre-eminent position."

Robert Frost, acknowledged generally one of the outstanding poets of America, has recently received the Pulitzer Prize on his volume "New Hampshire," published last fall. He is widely known in England as well as in America, for it was in London that he first published "North of Boston," which made his fame.

Grace Hazard Conkling, author of "Afternoons in April," "Wilderness Songs," has recently received renewed attention because of Amy Lowell's estimate of her work in "A Critical Fable". Mrs. Conkling was for two years member of the Bread Loaf staff. Of Mrs. Conkling's daughter Hilda, the child

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Tennis Team Loses To Springfield, Wesleyan

Capt. Rich Gives Opponents Battle—Opposition of Championship Calibre

Playing their first regular matches of the season the Middlebury Tennis team went down to defeat at the hands of Springfield and Wesleyan both to the tune of 6-0. The first match of the trip was played at Springfield on Wednesday. Here the team met a superior brand of tennis, and failed to take a match. Captain Rich however, playing a No. 1 forced his man to three sets and was only beaten after a hard struggle. The other three singles men, Hickox, Fletcher and Wolfskehl entended their opponents thru their matches.

In the Wesleyan match the team practically upset the dope. Playing a team admittedly one of the best in New England Middlebury was only defeated after a hard fight.

In the singles Fletcher playing No. 1 man for the day, was defeated 6-4, 6-4. The real surprise came in the doubles when both Middlebury teams took the first set. However, they were unable to score although Fletcher and Wolfskehl took a lead of 4-1 in the second set.

Wesleyan: Hal Schweiker defeated Fletcher 6-4, 6-4.

Score of Wesleyan Match

Schweiker, W, defeated Fletcher, M, 6-4, 6-4.
Hatfield defeated Rich 6-0, 6-2.
Heidle defeated Wolfskehl 6-3, 6-3.
Hillyer defeated Hickox 6-3, 6-3.
Schweiker and Hatfield defeated Fletcher and Wolfskehl 4-6, 6-4, 6-1.
Heidle and Hillyer defeated Rich and Hickox 6-8, 6-3, 6-2.

Score of Springfield Match

SINGLES

McCutcheon, S, beat Fletcher, M, 6-1, 6-2.
H. Smith, S, beat Wolfskehl, M, 6-3, 6-2.
Tung, S, beat Hickox, M, 6-2, 6-1.
Barber, S, bebat Rich, M, 6-4, 1-6, 6-1.

DOUBLES

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HASTINGS PITCHES MASTERFUL BALL

Papke and Whitney Field Chances Without Error

In a heart-breaking pitcher's battle which ended in 2-1 score, Middlebury's nine lost to the Union sackmen last Saturday at Schenectady. Captain P. O. Hastings had the wearers of the Garnet eating out of his hand thru eight innings, pitching masterful ball, all the way, and not handing out one free trip to the initial sack.

As indicated by the score, Middlebury found it difficult to hit in the pinches, seven men dying on the paths. In the eighth the Blue managed to push across its only score. Whitney singled, stole second, went to third on a walk by Wellinghorst, and scored on a passed ball. In its half of the ninth, the Union team bunched three clean singles and a walk to score two runs. With men on second and third, the Union batters singled sharply to left center, and two men scored before Kilgride could get Martin's throw-in.

For Middlebury, Papke and Whitney had big days, each fielding six chances without an error. Papke also got two clean singles. The entire Blue and white nine played tight ball thruout the contest.

UNION

	A.B.	R.	H.	P.O.	A.
Ripton, 3 b	4	0	1	1	1
Nichtman, 1 f	4	1	2	1	0
Haber, s s	4	1	1	1	5
Schapiro, 2 b	3	0	0	4	2
Hoehn, c f	4	0	1	1	0
O'Neil, r f	3	0	0	0	0
Snyder, 1 b	3	0	0	9	0
Bulk, c	3	0	0	8	1
Well'horst, p	3	0	0	2	3
Total	31	2	5	27	12

MIDDLEBURY

	A.B.	R.	H.	P.O.	A.
Martin, c f	4	0	0	1	0
Whitney, 2 b	2	1	1	2	4
Hastings, p	4	0	0	1	3
Klevenow, 1 f	4	0	0	1	0
Conley, 3 b	4	0	0	1	1
Novotny, r f	4	0	1	1	0
Papke, s s	4	0	2	2	4
Kilbride, c	4	0	0	4	0
Hasseltine, 1 b	4	0	1	11	0
Total	31	1	5	*25	12

*One out when winning run was scored.

Errors—Union 4 (Haber 2, Schapiro, Ripton; Middlebury 1 (Hasseltine).

Union ----------0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 2—2
Middlebury -------0 0 0 0 0 0 0 1 0—1

Two base hits—Novotny, Hoehn. Bases on balls—Off Wellinghorst 1. Hastings 1. Struck out—ByWellinghorst 8, Hastings 4. Left on bases—Union 2, Middlebury 7. Passed balls—Kilbride. Bulk. Umpire—Connolly. Time of game 1:55.

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Blue Track Team Defeats R. P. I.

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points, Cook winning it and Happ and Kendall taking second and third. Jack Hancock led the field for the fourth time this season in the two-mile race, while Robinson was second. Hancock's time was 10 minutes, 17 4-5 seconds. Peck won the high hurdles with Doolittle taking third place, but due to a poor start could only get a third in the low ones. Fish won the mile run and Kendall the half-mile, Kelley and Hoyt respectively winning third places in these same events.

R. P. I. was somewhat better in the field events. They won the high jump at five feet, seven and three-fourths inches, but Potter got second and Doolittle tied for third. Cook's jump of 20 feet, three inches was enough to win the broad jump but the Engineers got second and third. Krichbaum tied with two of the opponents for first place in the pole vault. McLaughlin heaved the shot 36 feet 6 inches for a first place in the shot put. McKeever of R. P. I. was second and Cass third. Purinton, the Trojan captain, was first in the hammer throw but Cass and Whitney got second and third.

This victory avenges the defeat which Middlebury received at the hands of the Engineers in last year's meet on Porter Field. R. P. I. won a year ago by the close margin of fiv epoints, the score being 70 to 65.

Summary:

Javelin Throw—Won by Eddy, M; Whitney, M, second; Cass, M, third. Distance, 148 ft. 1 in. (new college record).

High Jump—Won by Brownlee, R. P. I.; Potter, M, second; Doolittle, M, and Wappler, R. P. I., tied for third. Height, 5 ft. 7 3-4 in.

Discus Throw—Won by Champagne, R. P. I.; Cass, M, second; Purinton, R. P. I., third. Distance, 102 ft. 7 in.

Pole Vault—Krichbaum, M; Wren, R. P. I., and Towne, R. P. I., tied for first. Height, 10 ft. 6 in.

100-Yard Dash—Won by Crane, M; Carboy, M, second; Happ, M, third. Time, 10 1-5s.

Shot Put—Won by McLaughlin, M; McKeever, R. P. I., second; Cass, M, third. Distance, 36 ft. 6 in.

Mile Run—Won by Fish, M; Cushman, R. P. I., second; Kelley, M, third. Time, 4 m. 42s.

220-Yard Dash—Won by Carboy, M; Cook, M, second; Crane, M, third. Time 23 3-5s.

120-Yard Hurdels—Won by Peck, M; Slye, R. P. I., second; Doolittle, M, third. Time 16 4-5s.

Hammer Throw—Won by Purinton, R. P. I.; Cas, M, second; Whitney, M, third. Distance, 110 ft. 6 in.

440-Yard Dash—Won by Cook, M; Happ, M, second; Kendall, M, third. Time, 52 6-10s.

Two-Mile Run—Won by Hancock, M; Robinson, M, second; Gawryla, R. P. I., third. Time 10m. 17 4-5s.

220-Yard Hurdles—Won by Cotton, R. P. I.; Matula, R. P. I., second; Peck, M, third. Time 28 1-5s.

Running Broad Jump—Won by Cook, M; Vogel, R. P. I., second; Cotton, R. P. I., third. Distance 20 ft. 3 in.

880-Yard Run—Won by Kendall, M; Walker, R. P. I., second; Hoyt, M, third. Time 2m. 5 3-5s.

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Creative Writing English School Feature

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poet, author of "Poems by a Little Girl" and "Shoes of the Wind," Miss Lowell says "I say flatly this child is the first Imagist."

John Farrar is most widely known as editor of "The Bookman" and for his work as critic and editor, but he has also done other creative work of distinction, especially in poetry.

Charles S. Brooks is the author of several volumes of delightful essays, including "Chimney-Pot Papers." His most recent publication, "A Thread of English Road" has elicited much favorable critical comment.

Edith M. Luttman, formerly Head Mistress of the Secondary Co-Educational School in Cheadle Holme, Cheshire, England, will bring to the School the point of view of the English teacher of literature and creative expression. Her general theme will be the relation between the study of literary masterpieces and composition, both initiative and original. Miss Luttman is a graduate of St. Andrews University, Scotland, and has had remarkably successful experience in teaching in private schools in England, Scotland and America.

The registration to date indicates that the students in creative writing this summer will, as in other years, include several who have published work to their credit.

Music Festival Held

Miss Minnie Hayden and sixteen voice students from the Women's College took part in a Musical Festival held May 14, in Rutland. The Brandon Glee Club, the Rutland Musical Art Society, and the Vermont Glee Club, also, entered the contest. Brandon received first and Middlebury second place.

Two Infromals Add to Week-End Festivities

Two informal dances were held Saturday night, one, given by the Chi Kappa Mu fraternity, was held in the Women's club rooms. The other was held in Grange hall.

INTERCOLLIGIATE

University of Montana: All but two of the 61 instructors are enrolled in the Central Labor Union which is affiliated with the A. F. of L.

Well-Known Club Woman Speaks at Tea

Mrs. W. H. Purdy, the second vice president of the New York State Federation of Women's Clubs was in town over the week-end. At a tea given at President Moody's Saturday afternoon, Mrs. Purdy spoke briefly of club work and of the potentiality that lies in the hands of college women for progress along the major lines of interest in the world today. Mrs. Purdy has travelled extensively throughout the country and is very well known in club circles.

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